

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce JOHN H. BRADLEY of Dunklin County as a candidate for Judge of the Springfield Court of Appeals, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce JESSE B. JACKSON as a candidate for Treasurer of Iron County, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the Primary Election.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Ash Wednesday, March 8th.

Dust on our streets Monday.

The last week of the Lopez sale.

The early gardener is getting restless.

We'll have to import our ice this summer.

The automobiles came from their hiding places Sunday.

An old-time crowd at the picture snow Saturday night.

Many rumors of prospective candidates for county offices.

The banks, the post offices, and the schools had a holiday Tuesday.

The sun and the wind of the past week have helped the roads some.

Dealers seem to be anticipating the sale of many automobiles locally this spring.

B. F. Sloan has been succeeded at the hotel at Graniteville by Dallas Crocker.

"Six For Five!" That's the slogan. Come to Lopez's next Saturday for the answer.

Holbrook Blinn and Alice Brady in "The Boss" at the Academy Picture Theatre, Saturday night.

A number of our citizens, we understand, have contracted for and expect to buy automobiles this spring.

Roller skating on the granitoid walks is the chief diversion of young America in Ironton these days.

Rev. V. O. Penley will hold services in St. Paul's church, Ironton, next Sunday, morning and evening.

Ladies! We address the ladies rather than the men—look at Brown's new ad. He can save you money.

The Methodist "Ladies Aid" of Union Methodist Church will meet at the parsonage at 2:30 p. m. Thursday.

On the whole it has been a pleasant week, some of the days like spring, the thermometer getting into the seventies.

The Holiness College at Des Arc will be sold under deed of trust by the Sheriff at the courthouse in Ironton next Saturday.

The Ironton school has secured a flag and pole and the red, white and blue will be flying on the campus in the course of a few days.

Jos. C. Forshee, local agent for the Ford automobile, received six cars last Thursday, which he hopes to dispose of during the season.

The Senior Class in the Ironton High School will present "The Sweet Girl Graduate" at the Academy of Music, Friday evening, March 3d.

Our long time friend and reader, W. M. O'Neal, of Irondale, writes: "May you live many years to preside over and publish the REGISTER."

FOR RENT—A six-room residence (the Broadview property, south Ironton). For terms apply E. L. Barnhouse, South Side Drug Store.

E. R. Curtis tells us that he expects to go to Poplar Bluff about the first of March to spend some time in a garage there. He expects, eventually, to have a garage here.

Fletcher & Barger last week paid Campbell & McColl, at Bellevue, the \$1500 insurance carried on their stock of merchandise recently destroyed by fire. Prompt payment.

H. C. Johnson of the Business College is spending several days in Iron county looking after his interests there and interviewing prospective students.—De Soto Times.

The reports from Mr. W. R. Edgar, who is still in St. Louis under treatment, are very encouraging. It is hoped now that he may be restored to health without undergoing an operation.

Married—At the courthouse, Ironton, Mo., February 17th, 1916, William T. Shomaker of French Mills, Madison county, and Vernie West, of Arcadia, Mo., Probate Judge O. W. Roop officiating.

A letter from our former fellow citizen, A. W. Garrett, now living in Fallbridge, Washington, informs us that they are getting along nicely. His son, James, has a good position in Spokane.

Wilton F. Armstrong and Miss Lydia Hasty were married at the bride's home in Ironton, Saturday evening, Rev. N. B. Henry officiating. Mr. Armstrong is in charge of Mr. Spencer's farm near Glover.

Valley friends will be pained to hear of the serious illness of Mrs. May DeBlieux, nee Wemp, daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wemp, formerly of this city, who underwent a surgical operation in a hospital in Shreveport, Louisiana, last Saturday. Mrs. DeBlieux has not been in good health for some time and her physicians said an immediate operation was necessary. Latest news from her is favorable, and we hope there will be no further complications.

Ladies' and Misses' long cloaks cut down as low as \$2.00 at Brown's.

D. Edgar Fletcher has the local agency for the Overland car and tells us that he has already sold three of them which he will deliver about March 1st, or shortly afterwards. He expects to get rid of as many more before spring.

T. L. Barnhouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barnhouse, formerly of this city, has been elected County Superintendent of Schools of Wells county, Texas. We congratulate the young man, who is just twenty-one years of age.

The injuries of Ben Crocker, who was hurt in the quarries at Graniteville week before last, are not as serious as at first reported. The injured man's now in a hospital in St. Louis, and we are told will be all right again in the course of a few weeks.

The reports from Mr. Arthur Huff, who is in Rochester, Minnesota, are encouraging. He says that the specialists inform him that all his trouble is a goitre which can be removed without danger. He will probably undergo an operation this week.

The Cemetery Improvement Association will hold a meeting, Friday, February 25, at 3 p. m., at the home of Mrs. F. P. Ake. All members and those who wish to join are urged to be present and come prepared to pay dues, as this will be the last meeting before spring.

We acknowledge a pleasant call Monday from Rev. Harry Whitehead, editor of the Christian Advocate at Birmingham, Alabama, who was called here by the death of his father. Nearly twenty-five years ago Mr. Whitehead was pastor at Fort Hill and many old friends were glad to see him again.

The Irondale and Caledonia special road districts in Washington county received bids for \$28,000 worth of bonds at Potosi Monday. Smith, Moore & Co., of St. Louis, were the successful bidders, paying a premium of about \$400 on the lot. Bonds are said to be much in demand these days and the prices are high.

A man by the name of Edmonston has arrived at the Silver Mines, on the St. Francois river, and taken charge of the work to be done there. Some of the old and abandoned houses are being repaired and it is reported that work in the mines will be vigorously prosecuted. Mr. Edmonston was in town last Saturday purchasing supplies.

Chas. J. Tesreau, the ball pitcher, left last Wednesday for New York, after spending the winter in Ironton. After a sojourn of about ten days in New York, Charlie will leave with the club for Marlin, Texas, to spend several weeks in the spring training. Valley friends hope that he will have greater success than ever in the diamond this season.

Recorder Hawkins issued the following marriage licenses the past week:

Wm. T. Shoemaker of French Mills and Vernie West of Arcadia.

Jacob Black and Caroline Shrum of Brule.

Marion Armstrong of Glover and Lydia Hasty of Ironton.

Lee Poynter and Mrs. Sophia Wadlow of Piedmont.

A pleasing surprise was sprung on the several thousand lead miners in the county and the smelter men at Hereuleum-to-day when they received their mid-month checks and found that an additional 10 per cent bonus had been added to the bonus check of 10 per cent which they had been getting for several months. This makes an increase of wages of twenty cents on the dollar over what the men were getting a year ago.—Bonne Terre Register.

For a half century or more we've been entertainer to the wayfarer printer as he journeyed north or south through this portion of the footstool.

But we had an experience the other day entirely new. A young man, well attired, came into the office, said he was a printer, produced a watch from his pocket to ascertain the time of day. Wanted a job if there was one open, but he wasn't begging.

First time in all those years that a printer ever called at this office who wasn't hungry or didn't pretend to be.

The Sappington farm, better known as the Hatten farm, which adjoins the city limits of Williamsville, was sold under deed of trust here Tuesday by C. E. Sharp, trustee. The foreclosure was made under a second deed of trust for \$5000, held by Mrs. May S. Haynie. The sale was made subject to a first mortgage of \$20,000, the land being bought by C. M. Becker of St. Louis whose bid was \$5,900. Mr. Becker expects to take possession at once, we understand. The farm contains 960 acres and is one of the finest farms in the county.—Greenville Sun.

Last Friday night a number of ladies assembled at the home of Mrs. Amanda Haywood the occasion being the anniversary of her birthday. A club was organized but not named, but from indications it may possibly be called The Happy-Go-Lucky Club.

The following officers were chosen: Mrs. W. T. Gay, President; Mrs. J. F. Mitchell, Vice President; Mrs. C. F. Hanson, Secretary. Meetings to be held the first Thursday in the month.

A delicious two course luncheon was served by the hostess, consisting of sandwiches, salad, pickles, cream, cake and coffee. After wishing the hostess many happy returns, adjourned to meet with Mrs. E. R. Curtis, March 2d. Those present were: Mesdames W. T. Gay, S. E. Jolley, A. Heywood, F. Kindell, Sr., J. Forshee, F. Erbe, J. T. Mitchell, F. Kindell, Jr., E. R. Curtis, C. F. Hanson.

Dr. Edwin E. Whiteside, postmaster at Des Arc, last Saturday filed suit in the circuit here against Sheriff Wm. Blue and his bondsmen, Edmond Black, Aug. Riecke, Wm. R. Edgar, Eli D. Ake, Ira A. Marshall, Paul P. Rosentreter, J. E. Grandhomme and G. W. Farrar for \$300.00. Plaintiff states for cause of action that on September 17, last, the defendant took from the possession of the plaintiff a piano of the value of \$200 and sold it under an execution issued in the circuit court of Iron county in favor of H. C. Jackson and against E. E. Whiteside for about \$200. The petition alleges that before said sale was made the plaintiff claimed his exemption as the head of a family and demanded of the sheriff the return of his piano. Disregarding plaintiff's claim the official sold the instrument for about \$60—much less, the plaintiff alleges, than it was really worth. Plaintiff asks judgment for \$300 and interest from September, last. The case will come up for disposition at the April term of circuit court. V. V. Ing, of Greenville, is Dr. Whiteside's attorney.

Circuit court convened in special session Monday morning. The first case called was State vs. Fred Chandler, charged with hog stealing. Owing to the absence of an important witness the case was passed until Wednesday and court adjourned until Tuesday morning, when Thomas, Lewis, Finley, Harrison and Joa. B. Parks, Porter Abney and Wm. Fields of Bixby, in the western of the county, were arraigned charged with feloniously cutting and carrying away timber. The defendants entered a plea of not guilty and asked for a severance. Wm. Fields was placed on trial. All day was occupied in securing a jury and hearing the evidence. After supper the attorneys made the arguments and the case was given to the jury. After deliberating an hour or more a verdict of guilty was returned and punishment fixed at three years in the penitentiary. Prosecuting Attorney Edgar was assisted in the case by Vance J. Higgs, assistant U. S. district attorney of St. Louis. Mr. O. L. Munger represented the defendant. When court convened Wednesday morning the other defendants, except Joe and Lewis Parks, pleaded guilty as charged.

Mr. S. R. Durham, of Pueblo, Colorado, writing to the Piedmont Banner, says:

I note with pleasure that you have been appointed Postmaster. Accept my congratulations. I know you will make a good Postmaster. I hope the high standard of the Banner will not suffer in consequence. I very much appreciate the new letters from your local and distant correspondents. "Orion's" letters alone are more than worth the price of your paper to one familiar with that locality as I am. Many years ago when I was but a small boy, "Orion" came with a colony of Virginians to our Southeast Missouri. They were all good citizens: the Clarksons, Covingtons, Omahundres, Jordans, Bowies, and others. Most of the older ones have answered the last call and have crossed the shore, but we trust "Orion" will yet remain many years with us here.

"Orion" is the REGISTER's "Isaac"—a valued correspondent for more than thirty years—and I hope his final letter will not be written for thirty years to come. I shall have something to say in the near future concerning the faithful correspondents without whose friendly aid the REGISTER as a local paper must have been found lamentably wanting.

Men's Overcoats cut down as low as \$2.80 at Brown's.

PERSONAL.

C. Collins went to De Soto Sunday. Dr. R. W. Gay is in Ohio this week. F. O. Coddling went to St. Louis Sunday.

Mrs. Woodside is in St. Louis this week.

A. I. Willard was in St. Louis last week.

Edwin Heider went to Bismarck Sunday.

Miss Florence Newman went to St. Louis Monday.

Fred Erbe and wife went to Bismarck Sunday.

N. Warren of Bellevue was among our callers Monday.

Fred Kindell, Jr., and family went to Bismarck Sunday.

Miss Irene Marshall went to St. Louis Monday morning.

Miss Lena Pruitt is spending a few days with her parents.

Prof. B. Fox of Potosi was an Ironton visitor last Tuesday.

Thos. D. Jones spent several days of last week in St. Louis.

Geo. R. Gay, Dr. R. W. Gay and Mrs. S. T. Gay went to St. Louis Friday.

Judge Deering and Stenographer Jarvis are domiciled at Valley Inn this week.

H. B. Krenning and party of friends from St. Louis automobile to the valley Friday.

Mrs. Dr. Summa and daughter, after few days in the valley, returned to St. Louis Saturday.

U. S. Marshal J. E. Lynch and Deputy G. C. Orchard of St. Louis are attending court in Ironton.

Mrs. Geo. W. Marshall and daughter, Mrs. Ada Stone, went to Poplar Bluff Friday to visit Mr. Claude Marshall.

Kelton E. White came from St. Louis Saturday night. He and Wm. Trauernicht made a trip to Potosi Monday.

Judge H. B. Jones went to St. John's Hospital, St. Louis, last Thursday and expects to spend several weeks there. Mayor and Mrs. Baldwin went to St. Louis last Thursday.

We do not want to seem to influence our readers, but of a verily, B. N. Brown's bargains at this winter's clearing sale are wonderful.—Adv.

School Notes.

The Seniors are to give the play, entitled, "The Sweet Girl Graduate," at the Academy of Music, March 3d. Admission 15 and 20 cents; no seats will be reserved. A musical program will be given with the play.

The pupils of Miss Vaughn's room presented a beautiful flag to the school. As soon as the Sophomore boys secure a flag-pole, the flag will be raised daily.

Rev. J. T. Mitchell made a very interesting talk before the High School on February 11th. These talks are always a source of great pleasure to both students and teachers and a speaker is always welcome.

Mr. Barnett of Cape Girardeau visited the school last week. His address to the High School students was much enjoyed.

Mr. Hanson substituted for Mr. Hutchins on Monday of this week.

The Junior Class entertained the Senior Class and faculty with a Washington Dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Paves, on Tuesday, February 22d.

Lincoln Day was observed with appropriate exercises by the third and fourth grades, and also by the fifth and sixth grades. The latter under the direction of their teacher, Miss Ethel Vaughn, dramatized the life of Lincoln.

All of the Teachers' Training Students passed the examinations sent out by the State Superintendent of Schools. The grades this year were much higher than any made before.

On Friday of each week Mr. Hutchins teaches penmanship in the grades; while he is doing this Miss Duval gives lessons in English composition to the Seventh and Eighth grades.

The boys of the Seventh and Eighth grades, and of the High School are practicing on field events for the County Field Meet to be held in Ironton on April 15th.

Teachers in the grades are saving some of the best written work to be displayed at this time.

Public Meeting.

To the friends and patrons of the Schools of Ironton School district: You are urgently requested to meet with the Board of Education in the court house on Monday, Feb. 28th, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of formulating plans for the erection of a high school building in this district. Ladies are especially invited.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

On next Saturday, February 26th, which is the last day of the big February Clearing Sale, we will withdraw prices previously advertised and for that day only, we will put on a big "Six for Five Sale." That is, you pay for 5 pounds, or five yards, or five articles, and receive six. All through the store in other words you will receive at the rate \$6.00 worth of goods for \$5.00. Is this offer worth anything to you? LOPEZ STORE CO.

Methodist Mention.

Sunday School attendance, 112; Cradle Roll, 23; total 135; Offering, \$3.10. Woman's Bible class formed at Union, with Mrs. Della Allen as teacher. The Superintendent also organized a Junior Choir, and will himself train them. The Juniors will be heard from.

There was a fine attendance at Union at the morning service; and in the evening at Fort Hill, the largest congregation that has assembled at that church for several months greeted Rev. Harry Whitehead, and they were not disappointed, for he gave us a very helpful message.

The League devotional, led by Miss Myra Peck, was up to the standard. A good audience was present. Topic for next Sunday is "Exterminate the Saloon. Why How?" Hab. 2: 1-14. Leader, Mrs. John Keith. The League will give a ten cent social at Mrs. Richard Baldwin's on Thursday evening. Instead of preaching at night, the following programme will be rendered by the League: Subject—"Africa." 1. Political Divisions, Prof. Hutchings. 2. People and Their Customs, Prof. Hanson. 3. Religions, Mrs. Ethel Hanson. 4. Missions, Mrs. Lela Keith. 5. Livingstone, Miss Johnnie Walker. 6. Our Missions, Mrs. L. T. Henry. This programme will be interspersed with music.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Man Wanted

With team to sell Singer Sewing Machines and collect in part of Iron county and Bellevue Valley. Experience not necessary. Must be able to furnish good reference and be neat and willing to work under instruction. Write Singer Sewing Machine Co., Flat River, Mo.

The Boulders will have this year day-old chicks as well as hatching eggs from their Prize Winning S. C. White Leghorns. Also have a few Cockerels of the Tom Barren Strain for sale at reasonable prices.

A. B. PIERCE, owner.

Tremendous bargains at Brown's Clearing Sale.

Des Arc News.

We are having fine weather. Farmers are busy building fences, clearing land, and some plowing.

I was out on the Mo. S. R. R. The mills are all crowded with orders. Frank Harkworth has lots of orders for dressed lumber and ties. The Mo. S. R. R. has been put in fine shape and is running on time. They run an extra every day, hauling lumber, etc.

I was also at Elsinoe, Tasker, Hendrickson, and Greenville. The firm of Harwell & Harwell are doing a fine business. They had just unloaded a 30,000 lb. car of flour. The Greenville merchants are laying in their spring stock. I always like to go to Greenville. There are some of the best and most friendly people in Missouri. I enjoy my trip there and they have one of the best hotels in Southeast Missouri. The traveling men will bear me out in this. It is the Arlington. The Ozark Valley will put on a motor car which will be a great help to the traveling public.

A very interesting program was given at the M. E. church Friday evening, February 18, by the Ladies of the W. C. T. U. We give the following numbers rendered:

Song: Loyalty to Christ.

Invocation: R. L. Stamp.

Song: Save the Boy.

Address: Prof. W. E. McKee.

Song: Will you come home sober, Papa? Miss Louise Schmidt.

Play: "The Saloon Must Go." Mrs. Ruth Schmidt, Miss Florence Schmidt, Miss Lora Tolleson, Mr. Leslie Wallis, Mr. Jesse Jackson.

Song: Vote as you pray.

Reading: Mrs. E. W. Graves.

Song: "A Saloonless Nation."

Address: Rev. N. S. Taylor.

Song: "I'll Be There."

Reading: Mrs. John Stevenson.

Song: "Someone Did a Golden Deed," by Morris McKee.

Pantomime: An Angel in a Saloon.

The music for the evening was furnished by the Orchestra composed of Dr. E. Whiteside, Ed. Schmidt, Florence and Louise Schmidt and Mrs. R. L. Stamp. Mrs. Dr. N. A. Farr and Mrs. V. E. Cooper acted as ushers. The house was beautifully decorated and the ladies wearing their colors, yellow and white, marched in a body into the church, occupying the seats reserved for them, while Miss Ruby White played an instrumental selection. This band of White Ribboners are doing a grand and noble work in our town; their influence has already been felt here. They are still growing in numbers. May they continue to grow, and may the Lord bless them in this work.

Rev. K. P. Foust attended quarterly conference at Patterson Friday.

W. T. and J. H. Stevenson were in St. Louis last week.

Fayette Miller and daughter, Miss Ethel, went to Ironton Wednesday.

Born to Wm. Keathley and wife, a baby boy.

Miss Ora Lovelace is visiting Mrs. Gussie Mason at Fredericktown.

Mrs. Chris Poston, from Flat River, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank James.

Mrs. Oliver Douglas and baby, from St. Louis, are visiting relatives here.

James Maddock spent Sunday in Ironton.

Rev. K. P. Foust, the Methodist minister, who arrived here last week from Mississippi, preached to a large congregation on Tuesday night. He is a fine speaker and the church is well pleased with him. His family will arrive later.

The Public School will observe "Washington's Birthday" Tuesday. They will march in a body at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Rev. Foust made an interesting address to the pupils Monday morning.

Rev. O. S. Taylor filled his regular appointment here Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. The house was crowded on Sunday night and chairs had to be placed in the aisles to seat the crowd. Our Sunday Schools are growing in number. On last Sunday 80 were present in the Baptist Sunday School, 50 in the Methodist, and 57 in the Nazarene Sunday School. Our churches are growing and we have a band of noble christian workers here.

Rev. Flanery has two very sick children, with diphtheria, on College Hill. ISAAC.

Ladies' and Misses' \$2.25 and \$2.50 Sweaters, genuine German dye, cut to 75c. B. N. BROWN.

Bellevue News.

Mr. Thos. Hill of Bismarck was a visitor here last week.

Mrs. Virginia McColl was shopping in Ironton Friday.

Uncle John Stricklin spent last week with his daughter, Mrs. Rachel Lambert, near Black River.

Mrs. John Reagan of Iron Mountain visited her mother, Mrs. Ella Lowe, last week.

Miss Edna Nipper of Cedar Grove is guest in the home of J. W. Wood.

Miss Jenna Logan of St. Louis visited home folks recently.

Robt. Brown and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lem Logan.

Mr. Giles Henderson bought the Emeline Hinds property last Wednesday. He will remodel the house and move soon. Bellevue folk will be glad to welcome Mr. Henderson and family in their midst.

Campbell & McColl, who recently lost their stock of groceries and dry goods by fire, have rented the vacant store building belonging to Mrs. Pauline, and will put in a new stock of groceries, and will do business in a temporary way, as Mrs. Logan expects to erect a concrete store building.

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ing, to which they will move. Of course the building will have to be delayed till spring.

Our old friend, Uncle Charley Edmonds, is confined to his room suffering from heart trouble. We trust it will not prove fatal.

The little 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lasater has been in a very critical condition for over a week from a complication of pneumonia and congestion of the brain; not much hopes for her recovery.

H. L. Bell, J. L. Logan, A. R. Campbell were business visitors in Ironton last Wednesday.

Roy Robinson visited his home folks in Irondale the first of the week.

Married—On last Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Miss Leona Wood to Mr. Wm. J. Warren, both prominent young people of the community. We join their many friends in wishing them happiness and prosperity through their wedded life. ALPHA.

Pilot Knob News.

Miss Essie Hart who has been on an extended visit here with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hart, has returned to her home in Crystal City.

Pilot Knob has a good Sunday School with Mr. C. D. Alexander as Superintendent.

There is a Nazarine revival in progress at Mr. Orr's on Main street, commencing Monday night.

A slot-machine being installed at Will Elman's store seems to be the attraction these days, but the poor are suffering the consequences of the amiable machine.

Preaching services at the Baptist church next Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Prayer meeting Tuesday nights. Everybody is invited to attend these services for your presence lends courage so our feeble effort at the Knob. OPAZ.

Obituary.

Thomas James, son of William Whitehead, was born in Burford, Ontario, November 13, 1837. His grandfather, Rev. Thomas Whitehead, was among the very early Methodist preachers of the United States, and by the conference was sent to Nova Scotia, where he united with the Wesleyan Methodists. At sixteen years of age the subject of this sketch entered the railroad service, and in 1853 was sent to Chicago, later on to Oden, and still later to Centralia. In 1879 he came to St. Louis, where his children were primarily reared.

In 1884, he married Miss Elmina Emily Skinner, who preceded her husband to the "better country" by seventeen years. The union proved a happy one, and to them three children were born, to wit: Rev. Harry Whitehead, at one time pastor of Fort Hill church, but now business manager of the Christian Advocate at Birmingham, Ala.; Anna L., wife of Dr. G. W. Farrar of Ironton, and Mrs. Jessie A. Calkins of California. Besides these ten grandchildren, two sisters, one brother and friends innumerable survive him.

After the translation of his noble wife, brother Whitehead made his home with son Harry, and worked with him in the office of the Alabama Advocate until he last November came to spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Dr. Farrar.

In his boyhood our brother felt his call to the ministry and was making preparations to enter college and prepare himself for his calling; but financial reverses coming unexpectedly to his father at this time, he threw himself under the falling fortune and saved it. The effect of this was to turn his mind away from his call to preach, a fact of which he sometimes spoke with regret, regarding it as a great mistake of his life. As a matter of course, he lost his religious fervor, and permitted his membership to lapse. However, after his marriage, he returned to his first love, and later on he and his wife united with the Episcopal Church.

Brother Whitehead was a man of strong intellect, a constant reader of books covering a wide range of subjects, and was therefore possessed of a great store of information. It was not until late years that he read just for recreation. He traveled extensively, was a good observer, had rare qualities of collecting and collating kindred subjects, and therefore he became a sort of reference book easily consulted by the